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### BUSINESS NOTICES.

Heckert & Chandler,  
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general  
law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78]

M. E. Whalen, M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon. Office in Long-  
well block. Office hours, 2 to 5 p. m.,  
and 6:30 to 8 p. m. 1819ly

Mills, Osborn & Goss,  
Lawyers.  
Office, Paw Paw; associate office,  
Kalamazoo, Mich. Mr. Goss will be  
in his office Monday afternoon and Tues-  
day of each week. A. J. MILLS,  
J. W. OSBORN,  
O. A. GOSS.

Teachers' Examination.  
The following is the schedule of dates  
and places for examination during the  
ensuing school year. These dates will  
not be changed:  
Paw Paw, Thursday, March 6, 1890.  
Bloomington, Friday, April 25, 1890.  
Paw Paw, Thursday, August 7, 1890.  
G. W. CORNISH, Sec'y.

Milinery--Mrs. H. R. Odell.  
At the busy millinery store on Kala-  
mazoo street, a large lot of new and  
elegant spring goods of all kinds. Agent  
for the famous Corticelli silks

Absolutely the best place to purchase  
Monuments is of L. A. Whitman, in  
Paw Paw. You are guaranteed a large  
saving on your purchase. No agents' fee.  
Fifty beautiful Monuments, in  
Marble and Granite, to select from.  
1832-ly

A. W. Hendrick, M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw Mich.  
Office in Longwell Block. Special attention  
given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver and  
Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and Female  
Complaints--to all Chronic Diseases.

City Meat Market.  
Try the City market, first door east  
of Chappell's, where you will find ev-  
erything new, neat and clean. Fresh,  
smoked, dried and salt meats; choice  
beef, pork, veal, lamb, hams, bacon,  
lard, corned beef, sausage, etc. Poul-  
try, game, fish and oysters in season.  
The highest market price paid for fat  
cattle, sheep and hogs. Cash for hides  
and pelts. W. H. WILSON.  
1781tf

The Oliver Wins!  
In the Field trial of Plows, May 15th,  
at the farm of Miles F. Beebe, between  
the Oliver and Imperial, the work,  
Draft and durability being considered,  
the Oliver wins as usual.  
CONNER & OSBORNE.  
1835lf

For Sale or Rent.  
The house and lot formerly occupied  
by Jas. A. Leach, on the west side of  
the river. Inquire of  
JOHN I. BRECK.  
99tf

The Willard House Barn.  
As a 10-cent hitch-in and sale stable.  
Don't leave your teams standing out in  
the "weather" any more.  
SAGE BRO'S.  
1804tf

Paw Paw Savings Bank.  
Capital \$50,000.00 F. W. SELICK, Pres.,  
E. A. CRANE Vice Pres., JOHN W. FREE,  
Cashier. Board of Directors:  
J. J. WOODMAN, Geo. E. BRECK,  
JOHN LYLE, WILLIAM LYLE,  
JOHN W. FREE, W. R. SELICK,  
F. W. SELICK, WILLIAM J. SELICK,  
EDGAR A. CRANE. 1836ly

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.,  
Dental Parlors.  
Painless extraction of teeth by the  
use of Nitrous Oxide Gas.  
Single extraction, twenty-five cents.  
Special attention given to the pres-  
ervation of the natural teeth.  
Satisfaction guaranteed.  
Rooms over Savings Bank, Paw Paw,  
Mich. 1832ly

Go to Shaefer's studio for frames and  
enclers. 7tf

Bert P. Bryant.  
Agent for some of the oldest Fire In-  
surance Companies in America.  
Office over Avery's store. [6tf]

Photography at Lawton.  
I have come to Lawton to stay and  
will offer a great inducement to all  
who want pictures, as follows: I will  
make my best cabinets in certain  
styles for \$2.00 per dozen and guaran-  
tee satisfaction. Place your orders  
for holiday pictures early as we are  
apt to have a good deal of dark  
weather at this time of year. Call  
and see my \$5.00 Bromides.  
I also have constantly on hand a com-  
plete line of Picture Frames.  
Satisfaction guaranteed.  
E. GILLIS,  
Lawton, Mich.  
99tf

Long Time Easy Payments.  
Seven per cent on sums of over \$3000.  
Must be improved farms worth twice  
the amount loaned.  
1749tf CRANE & BRECK Attys.

Horses Wanted.  
We will pay good prices for several  
half blood Cleveland Bays coming four  
years old and upward.  
CLEVELAND BAY HORSE CO.  
Paw Paw Mich.  
1818tf

Dyckman House Livery Barn.  
I take pleasure in announcing to my  
friends and the public that I have pur-  
chased from J. M. Longwell the stock,  
fixtures and good-will of the Dyckman  
House Livery and Feed Barns, includ-  
ing the "Bus Line and Drays, and re-  
spectfully solicit a share of the public  
patronage. Careful and trustworthy  
ostlers always in attendance.  
86tf FRANK CLANCY.

### THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PAW PAW.

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Additional Liability of Stockholders 100,000  
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A general banking business transacted.  
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W. R. Hawkins,  
Broker. Money loaned and collections  
made in all parts of Van Buren county.  
Remittances promptly made. Office  
opposite Dyckman House, Paw Paw,  
Mich. 1388ly

Insurance.  
Insure your property against loss by  
fire in the reliable companies represent-  
ed by the undersigned. Losses will be  
promptly and equitably adjusted. Life,  
Fire and Accident policies issued. Of-  
fice over Broughton's store.  
1829tf W. M. KILLEFER.

New Insurance Agency.  
H. A. Chapin, Notary Public and  
Insurance Agent, represents some  
of the best companies doing business  
in this state. Among them are the  
Commercial Union and Sun Fire, the  
Michigan Mutual Life, and Travelers'  
Accident. These companies have an  
enviable record for prompt and equi-  
table adjustment of losses.  
1835tf Office in the Court House.

For Sale, Rent, or Exchange.  
An acre of ground with good house  
and barn in Paw Paw. For particulars  
call at this office. [1835tf]

Something New.  
One hundred Stamp Photos for one  
dollar, all ready gummed on the back  
to stick on letter heads, bill heads, watch  
dials or cases, books, hats, and etc.  
Call and see specimens of bromides,  
crayons, etc., etc. Workmanship, first  
class. Satisfaction guaranteed. 5,000  
feet of moulding to select from for  
frames.  
1800 HENRY SHAEFER.

ANTWERP, MICH., May 19, 1890.  
MESSRS. CONNER & OSBORNE:  
Gentlemen--I have thoroughly tried  
the "Oliver" and "Imperial" Plows,  
and pronounce the "Oliver" the best  
Plow I ever used.  
35tf MILES BEEBE

Wool! Wool! Wool!  
As in former years, I shall pay the  
highest market price for wool. See me  
before contracting.  
3714049f A. VAN AUKEN.

Minnie's Umbrella.  
The person who picked up the gold  
headed umbrella marked "Minnie" will  
please leave it at this office and receive  
reward. [38tf]

Fine Tailoring.  
Go to Miller, the fashionable tailor,  
for a fine suit of clothes. Rooms in  
Longwell block, Paw Paw, Mich. [38tf]

Girls Wanted!  
Between eighteen and twenty-five  
years of age who are knitters or would  
learn to knit. Pleasant work. Good  
wages. Permanent situation. For  
further information address Cooper,  
Wells & Co., St. Joseph, Mich. [40f241]

### Local Department.

H. M. Marshall, of Lawrence, was in  
town yesterday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. J.  
Hurd's Friday at 3 p. m.

Dan Spicer retailed over sixty crates  
of strawberries last week.

Mrs. Mattie Beasley and her son Ed  
are spending the summer here.

Supervisor Marshall, of Porter, was  
among our callers last Saturday.

Mrs. Davis Olney and her son Bert  
are spending some time in town.

R. C. Nash attends the wedding of  
his niece Bessie at Marcellus this even-  
ing.

Supervisors Mitchell, of Geneva, and  
Waters, of Antwerp, called on us Mon-  
day.

Mrs. Lucy Conger visited the family  
of John R. Carr in Cassopolis, last  
week.

A. C. Martin went to Chicago Mon-  
day morning and is expected home to-  
day.

B. F. Warner will offer his pony  
saddle horse for sale at auction on Sat-  
urday next.

Mrs. Gilbert Mitchell, of Geneva, is  
in attendance upon her sister, Mrs. T.  
W. Melchor.

Regular Convocation of Paw Paw  
Chapter, R. A. M., next Monday even-  
ing, June 30th.

Miss Josephine Rice and her brother  
Frank are home for a little rest during  
the hot season.

Phil. Tuckey and wife, of Oshetemo,  
visited relatives in Paw Paw Saturday  
and Sunday last.

Dr. E. A. Palmer, of Hartford, made  
a very pleasant call at the NORTHER-  
NER office yesterday.

The Superintendents of the Poor  
met at the county house yesterday and  
audited the accounts.

Regular Communication of Paw Paw  
Lodge No. 25, F. & A. M., next Tues-  
day evening, July 1st.

Miss Lillie Haydon, of Benton Har-  
bor, is visiting her cousin Miss Clara  
Hayden in this village.

W. C. Bliss' name appears in Mon-  
day's list of those to whom original  
pensions have been granted.

Harry Myers and Ralph Jennings re-  
turned home last week having com-  
pleted their first year in Hillsdale  
College.

One sparrow bounty order amounting  
to \$37.60 was paid by County Treasurer  
Butler last Saturday to Wm. Culver, of  
Waverly.

We print a letter from Rev. G. P.  
Linderman in this issue which should  
have appeared last week but for the  
lack of space.

The Paw Paw Class of '90 drove over  
to the Lawton graduating exercises, in  
spite of the wind and weather. There's  
pluck for you!

It is hoped that there will be a large  
attendance at the next meeting of  
Brotherhood post as important matters  
are to be considered.

Bangs Warner's three car loads of  
Idaho horses will reach here next Fri-  
day and he will sell at auction at the  
stock yards on Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Taft was at Kalamazoo last  
week attending the commencement ex-  
ercises of Kalamazoo College of which  
he is one of the trustees.

H. W. McCabe and Mrs. J. I. Brock  
returned from their visit to Minnesota  
on Saturday last, and report having  
had a most delightful trip.

Dr. and Mrs. Dunning leave to-day  
for Rochester, N. Y., where Mrs. D. will  
spend the summer with relatives. The  
Dr. will only be absent a week.

The Mission Society of the Free Baptist  
church will meet at Mrs. O. H. P.  
Sheldon's on Saturday to sew for Mrs.  
Minerva Wilson. Picnic dinner.

M. U. Richardson has completed the  
census of Paw Paw village and Henry  
Wilson will finish the remainder of the  
township within the specified time.

Every lady in this vicinity should try  
a pair of the famous Hough & Ford  
shoes for style, comfort and durability.  
For sale only by W. J. Sellick & Son.

Mrs. L. S. Rector, nee Boynton, of  
Roseland, Ill., made a flying visit at  
Dr. Dunning's, leaving her little daughter  
Grace, who will accompany them  
East.

Superintendent Ihling will carry all  
who wish to attend the S. and S. reu-  
nion at Kalamazoo for one fare for the  
round trip, from all stations on the T.  
& S. H. R. R.

County Agent Gould took a 14-year-  
old to the Industrial Home at Adrian  
last Monday. It was his intention to  
visit the State school at Coldwater on  
his return trip.

M. Snow & Sons received an order  
on Monday from Mr. Byron Beebe, of  
Marcellus, for one of their combination  
(wood or coal-burning) hot-air furnaces  
for his residence.

Wool does not come into this market  
very freely as yet. Several buyers are  
in the field and are prepared to pay as  
good prices as can be had at any other  
point in the county.

A silver eel, measuring 3 ft. 5 inches  
in length, yielded to the dainty allure-  
ments presented by Miles Lucas, and  
was safely landed Monday morning at  
the Lacphre pond.

Mrs. Bailey, of Hastings, who has  
been spending a few days with Mrs. B.  
F. Heckert, returned to her home on  
Monday. Mrs. Heckert accompanied her  
as far as Kalamazoo.

A large number of Paw Paw people  
attended the spiritualist meeting at  
Lake Cora last Sunday. Very interest-  
ing addresses were given by Mrs. Lilly  
both forenoon and afternoon.

Mrs. Whalen and Dunning were in  
Grand Rapids last week in attendance  
upon the sessions of the State Medical  
Association. Both report a very en-  
joyable and interesting experience.

There will be no session of Paw Paw  
Grange until July 25th, when a pro-  
gramme will be given by the ladies  
under the direction of the committee  
on "Woman's work in the Grange."

Mrs. Lilly addressed quite a large  
audience at the Opera House, Sunday  
evening, on spiritualistic subjects. The  
lady was assisted by Dr. Andrews, an  
impromptu versifier, of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Mary Saunders with her two  
children arrived from Mine La Motte  
last Friday evening. After a short visit  
with her parents, she will extend her  
journey to the sea-shore and White Mts.

Reports say that hard cider, in  
quantities to suit the purchaser, can be  
obtained from an Almena dealer. If  
this is true some one is treading on  
dangerous grounds and should "let up."

Miss Lena Snow starts to-day on her  
summer outing. She visits the family of  
Rev. J. H. Tanner, at Marshall, a few  
days, and then proceeds to Detroit and  
joins her aunt in an extended stay at  
Lakeside.

We have now telephonic communica-  
tion with Marcellus--quite an improve-  
ment over former times, when it took  
three days to make the round trip by  
mail. Hello, Marcellus! Send us over  
half-a-dozen grist-mills.

Chris. Ormsby, a practical baker of  
many years' experience, from Kalamazoo,  
has been engaged permanently by  
Ed. Nash, and has commenced work.  
Mr. Nash was compelled by ill health to  
relinquish the situation.

Any person who believes that he has  
been omitted from the census enumera-  
tion should leave name at the post  
office and the enumerator will be not-  
ified of the omission. It is desirable  
that the census be as full and complete  
as possible.

That our farmers have confidence in  
the future, is evidenced by the liberal-  
ity exhibited in the purchase of im-  
proved farm machinery. Within the past  
ten days Wes. Young and Reed Sirrine  
have sold no less than sixteen mowers  
and binders.

Congressman Brewster, of the Sixth  
district, sends greeting to his constitu-  
ents; tells them the McKinley bill will  
pass the Senate substantially as it left  
the House, and advises wool-growers  
who can do so to hold on to their wool  
for better prices.

For clear-cut, unadulterated "ornery-  
ness," commend us to a man who "re-  
fuses" a paper containing an eulogistic  
death notice of his daughter, sent him  
from the office of publication. There  
are such animals, alive and running at  
large in Van Buren county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Sage are spend-  
ing a few days at the home of her father,  
Mr. David Dillon. The home-coming  
of so many of our old-time "girls," yester-  
day resulted in a little tea-party  
given by Mrs. A. C. Martin, at which  
the good old times were no doubt well  
reviewed.

Among the many attractions at Lake  
Park, July 4th, there will be a balloon  
ascension and parachute drop. The  
Glendale band, re-organized and great-  
ly improved, will furnish fine music, on  
brass instruments for the delectation of  
the crowd, and on strings for the bow-  
ery in the afternoon and evening.

No library can be considered com-  
plete unless it includes a Webster's un-  
abridged dictionary. Webster's dic-  
tionaries cost cash. But, W. J. Sellick  
& Son have matured a plan whereby  
their customers can secure one of these  
valuable books absolutely without cost.  
Read their adv. elsewhere in this issue.

T. A. and Mrs. Granger of Paw Paw  
were here over Sunday as guests of her  
daughter, Mrs. C. A. Root, and family.  
It was the 25th anniversary of the birth  
of Mrs. Granger--we omitting her years,  
as we always should do for ladies, but  
can say she is twenty years younger in  
her appearance and manners than in  
actual years.--South Haven Sentinel.

The Rix House, at Lawton, under the  
management of that prince of good  
fellows, Geo. H. Rix, ranks A1\* among  
the better class of inland town hotels.  
The house is well equipped, neat and  
clean; the menu is limited only by the  
possibilities of the market, and the  
cooking and service are excellent. The  
NORTHERNER knows whereof it affirms.

The rain interfered sadly with the  
ball game, last Friday, between the  
Sam Folz nine, of Kalamazoo, and the  
Paw Paws. It is hoped, however, that  
the weather will be more propitious to-  
morrow, on the occasion of another  
game between the same clubs, to be  
played here. The game will undoubtedly  
be hotly contested and should be  
witnessed by a large crowd.

The Ladies' Reading Club this year  
substituted an old fashioned "goose"  
picnic for their annual "blow-out," and  
a jolly company of twenty ladies as-  
sembled at Lake Park on Saturday  
afternoon. The fact that an extra con-  
veyance was necessary for the eatable  
will give some idea of the prodigious  
appetites that accompanied them, and  
they all give such enthusiastic accounts  
of the feast and good time generally  
that the "ganders" are gone with envy.

The Soldiers and Sailors of South-  
western Michigan will hold their reu-  
nion at Kalamazoo on July 30-31 and  
Aug. 1st. A rate of one fare for the  
round trip has been secured on all rail-  
roads and the officers of the association  
will spare no effort to make this one of  
the most successful reunions ever held.  
The citizens of Kalamazoo are taking  
a lively interest and will give the boys  
a cordial welcome. The programmes  
will soon be published and distributed.

Mrs. C. L. Eaton attended a reunion  
of the survivors of her family (The  
Joiners) at the home of her sister, Mrs.  
N. S. Benson, in the city of Saginaw,  
last Thursday, the 19th inst. Three  
other sisters, Mrs. D. Sill, of Bloom-  
ingdale, Mrs. Lottie Rickard, of Oshetemo,  
and Miss Hattie Joiner, were present.  
In addition to these were Mrs. Dell  
King, of Big Rapids, Mrs. Eva Bathrick,  
of Saginaw, and Mrs. Hattie Colman,  
of Chicago, the first two being daugh-  
ters of Mrs. Benson and the latter a  
daughter of Mrs. Sill. An elegant and  
elaborate dinner was served, some fine  
music rendered and, withal, a most  
delightful and enjoyable time was had.

"The class of '90 requests the pleas-  
ure of your presence at the Rink, Paw  
Paw, June 26, 8 o'clock p. m.," is the  
legend printed on a neat card announc-  
ing the annual commencement exer-  
cises of the Paw Paw High School.  
"The class of '90" numbers but five, and  
these, with their subjects, are: Marie  
Cooper, Mystery; Belle L. Grempe,  
Whither are We Drifting as a Nation?  
Zoe Wilson, Night Brings Out the Stars;  
David L. Dillon, Circumstances Make  
Noted Men; Chauncey F. Osobock, Com-  
merce. In order to gain admittance  
everyone must be provided with a tick-  
et which may be obtained, free, at Dr.  
Maynard's office or Longwell Bros' drug  
store.

Company C 4th Mich. Cavalry held  
its 15th Annual reunion at Lake Cora  
Wednesday of last week. Nineteen  
members of the company were present  
with their families. At the Camp Fire  
Wednesday evening a very pleasant  
time was had, Miss Ryan and Master  
Munger giving very fine recitations and  
Rev. Younglove and Judge Heckert  
making interesting and eloquent  
speeches. Short talks were made by  
others with singing of camp songs  
generously interspersed. As a singer  
of melody Comrade E. A. Crane showed  
himself a host and captured all with  
his laughing song. Here's to the boys  
of Co. C and may you live long and  
prosper.

In the matter of the application of M.  
T. Russell, to the probate court to have  
his wife Caroline Russell adjudged in-  
sane and committed to the asylum at  
Kalamazoo, the physicians appointed  
by the court to give expert testimony  
having disagreed, Dr. E. A. Palmer, of  
Hartford, was summoned by the court  
to examine the case, and reported that  
he could not say that Mrs. Russell was  
insane and a fit subject for treatment  
at the asylum. He found, however,  
that there was a light dementia, prob-  
ably caused by hemiplegia about 15  
years ago, and somewhat aggravated  
by age, so-called senile dementia. This  
case was before Judge Heckert about a  
year ago, and Drs. Rose, of Decatur,  
and Dunning, of this place, arrived at  
the same conclusion as that reached by  
Dr. Palmer and Whalen. Judge Heckert  
did not think he was justified, on  
this showing, in adjudging Mrs. Rus-  
sell insane and a fit subject for the as-  
ylum, and dismissed the application,  
remarking that, should the case become  
more aggravated, he would entertain  
another petition.